

# D.I.Y. Unicorn Theater Puppet Show Guide



## The Stage

Supplies in this section: box, construction paper or felt, fabric, tulle, decorative stars, glitter

Tools: box cutter, double-sided tape, hot glue gun

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First thing you'll need is a box, big enough for at least two hand-sized unicorns. A trusted adult should (carefully!) cut out a window for the show using a box cutter.

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Spruce up the stage with your favorite construction paper or felt! Strong glue or double-sided tape will keep the backdrop show-ready throughout the performance.

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Any fabric will work for curtains! We used hot glue (and plenty of folds) to make fun ruffles along the top and clean-looking "hems" at the bottom. No sewing necessary, but if you can needle-and-thread it, more power to you.

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Tulle is a miracle material. Tutus? Table skirts? Stage accents? It's got you covered. We hot glued ours into individual bunches that attached right behind the front of the stage.

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Now decorate! Anything will do. For ours, a set of thin wooden stars did the trick (after we glammed them up a bit, of course).

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Finally: glitter! Just... put it anywhere (and hope it doesn't go *everywhere*).



## Marigold

1

Without a horn, a unicorn is just a very beautiful horse. Roll a section of printer paper into a cone, securely gluing the overlap. Once it sets, wrap the horn in your glittery ribbon of choice, and then mount the cone's base onto a sturdy square of cardstock. After cutting a small hole in the sock's "forehead," insert the horn's base and use hot glue to secure the sock's fabric to the cardstock.

2

Marigold's luxurious mane is made out of (lots and lots of) yarn. We made ours by tying long loops into five bundles, and hot gluing each bundle's knot right behind her horn. Afterwards, a unicorn stylist gave her a quick trim.

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To pull off these bold lashes, we found a fun textured yarn to wrap around cut pipe cleaner and hot-glued onto the sock.

## The Cast

Supplies: socks, printer paper, ribbon, cardstock, yarn (white and pink), pipe cleaner, felt

Tools: hot glue gun, clear glue (fabric, fluid), scissors



## Florence

4

Florence's tight curls started off as strands of pink yarn coated in a mixture of glue and water. We then wrapped the yarn around markers and let dry overnight. Perms are very delicate the day after they're done, so we recommend attaching the curls with fabric glue (instead of hot glue) once they're ready.

5

A girl's gotta see, so don't forget Florence's glasses! We made her a quick pair out of black felt. Nostril spiders are optional.

## Showtime!

Remember that every unicorn is unique! It doesn't really matter what supplies you use or how you use them. The magic is all in the fun of making things with friends.